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VICTORY

The first semifical meet be-

tween the Spartak basketball

team from Moscow Region and

the Tungsram team from Buda-

pest in the Ronchetti cup com-

Soviet sportswomen, 87-48.

petition brought success to the

#### TIMMAN TAKES AN ENCOURAGING

By deteating Argentinian Miguel Quinteros, Jan Timman, of Holland, is leading after eight rounds of the international rhess tournament at Mar del Plata with 6.5 points, half a point ahead of the earlier leuler Lajos Portisch of Hungary. Portisch drew with Swede Andersson in his latest game and has one game ad-journed.

THE LEAD

Lev Polugayevsky, USSR, outplayed Argentinian Fernando Braga and is now third with 4.5 points and one game adjourned.

#### TOP SKIERS IN HOLMENKOLLEN

Holmenkollen, a place on the outskirts of the Norwegian capital famous for its annual winter ski races, is now the venue for a world championship which started on February 19. Over 300 sportsmen from 30 countries will be vying for 13 sets of awards in the crosscountry races, the Nordic com-

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EXPECTATIONS RUNNING

HIGH FOR THE 'STAR RACE'

The 5th "Star Race", with a field of 16 Soviet car racers, personally invited to compete by the "Za Rulyoin" magazine editorial board which supplied the awards, will commence on Sunday in the stadium of the izmallovo Olympic sports complex in Moscow. The significance of the event is highlighted by the arrival of a no lesser person than Mr Balestra, of France, President of the International Automobile Federation. He is so much taken with track winter racing on snow, which is a traditional Russian motor sport, that he is thinking of including it into the international motor racing schedule.

The four previous races were held in Moscow's central Hyppodrome, but the limited sealing capacity compared with the new stadium and the inadequate courses viewing facilities prompted the organizers to shift the event to the Izmailovo sta-

The circuit track is 876 metres long and 16 metres wide. There will be 16 heats in all. with each entrant due to compete in six of them, meeting with all the 15 rivals twice. The winner must score the most

The racers will be driving cars built at the Soviet VAZ. AZLK and Izhmash plants and

will loature, for the first time, tyres each litted with 146 Viadimir Coltsov, the many-

tinto national track racing champion, who will drive Moskvich car made at the Izhevsk plant, told an MNI con respondent that the contest will require some driving skill both in track and circuit racing. The field will indeed include aces who were winners at majo races both in this country and abroad, he stressed, and so, we expect very tough competition that will surely provide much

The races get under way at noon on February 21.

### The prize in sight

The USSR world Ice-hockey deleated Czechoslovakla, 6-3, in their second "Rude pravo" prize game in Prague. The USSR also won the first gaine, 5—3

Speed, improved team play and aggressive attacks holped the champlons lowards victory in both games, and they now will make the finals due in September Their opponent will be determined in two games to be played oil between Czechoslo-vakla and Sweden in Prague due in early April.

The USSR achieved the maximum 12 points during the pre-liminary stage, while Finland picked up only one point from as many games. Czechoslovakia and Sweden accumulated four and three points respectively from four games each.

#### TWO LEADERS

In the national bandy chainplonship, Krasnoyarsk Yemsel beat Kemerovo Kuzbass. 6-1. in a game played away from home. Andrei Pashkin, from Yenisel, the leading championship scorer to date, nelled live goals. The Khabarovsk Army

Club, the recent championship leader, went down, 2-3, a home to the Sverdlovsk Arm

Now Yenlsel and the Khabarovsk teams are level at 33 points, but the former still have two games in hand.

#### COMPETITIONS CONTINUE ACROSS THE OCEAN

Vying for the Alpine skiling World Cup Marie Cecilo Gros-Gaudenier, France, has won the "Crystal Globe" for her overall downhill victory. She came fifth in two recent downhill runs at Arosa, Switzerland, scoring a total of 87 points. winning by three points over Doris de Agostini, Switzerland, who came first in one of those stages, with Nancy Holly Planders taking the other.

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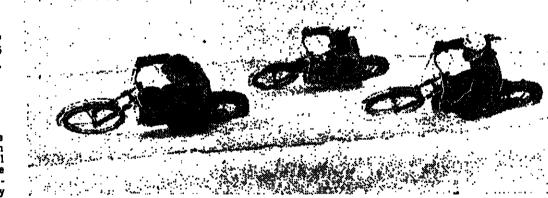
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Errka Hess, Switzerland, herotine of the Schladming would championship, where she won three golds, came third in the glant slatom in Oberstaulen. FRG. She now has 268 points, it points aheard of frene Epple. who tailed in the recent world championship, with her best achievement gaining only a sixtle position, frenc's younger sister Maria won the stage.

It is apparent that many people who achieved poor results at Schladming are now getting their own back in the Cup. For instance, Canadian Steve Podhorski, who took some time making top form, overpowered twice world champion Conrad Cathomen, Switzerland, and world titlist Harty Welrather over a 3,320 m course at Garmisch-Partonkirchen, FRG.

The almost certain Cup winner Phil Mahre, USA, decided not to tempt fate and gave the downhill a miss entering only the slatem, but came behind his twin brother Stove, who sho won the "combination", ahead of the "surprise" world cham-pion Michel Vion, France.

The circuit has now crosse the ocean for the final slages.



Competitors in the 16th ice motor-bike speedway match between Moscow and Leningrad in action. The maich in two stages (the first in Laningrad and the second in Moscow) was won by the Muscoviles. The country's top sportsmen are now to compete in the world team championship to be held on February genomental and and the segmental experimental and and the segment of the segment

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## USSR CELEBRATES 60th ANNIVERSARY

The Union of Soviet Socialist Republics was set up 80 years ago on December 30, 1922. The CPSU Central Committee has passely resolution marking the occasion. Here are some excerpts from its.

The 80th anniversary of the USSR is an outstanding milestone. in the life of the Soviet people; it testifies to the triumph of the CPSU's Leniuist national policy and to the historic achievements of

 As a result of the revolutionary transformations achieved by our people who railied around the Soviet Communist Parly to form the Union of SSR, a developed socialist society has been built.

The establishment and successful development of the USSR is of great international significance, it marks an important historical stage in the age-old struggle by progressive markind for equality and friendship between peoples and for the revolutionary renovation of the world.

O In present conditions when the international atmosphere has become aggravated because of the policies of imperialism, of American imperialism in particular, it has become of paramount importance for the fate of mankind that the Leninist strategy of peace practised by our Party and state should be implement

#### THE RIGHT TO LIVE

Geneva. The current session of the UN Human Rights Commission passed a resolution for warded by a group of socialist and developing countries for securing the basic right of every human being—the right to live The document also stresses the orgent need for intense efforts by the world community to ensure peace, avert the threat of war, particularly a nuclear disaster, curb the arms race and achieve general and

#### Appeal by Muammar Gaddafi



The Artists Clob in Moscow has opened an exhibition. "The Poster in the Struggle for Peace". On display are the best posters of a total of 3.5 thousand entries from 50 countries submitted to the competition. The first price was locally won by the Soviet artist. O. Maslyakov with his poster "Peace Programme to Action", and by the Polish actist R. Soch "Peace a Cause for All".

### Towards effective global economic cooperation

New Delhi. Router-TASS. Mrs Candhi has opened a 44-nation third world conference here convened as a follow-up to last October's summit meeting in Cancun, Mexico, between the developed countries

### Protest by Vietnamese foreign ministry

Vietnamese foreign ministry issued a protest against the declsion of the Taiwan authorities to regard the Truong Sa Islands (Spratly) as part of their terriory. The statement describes this as an encroachment on the sovereignty of the Socialist Re-Public of Vietnam. The document further stresses that the White

Book recently published by the Vietnamese foreign ministry contains enough compelling evidence to prove that the archipelago has long belonged to Vietnam, the same as the Hoang Sa (Paracel) Islands now occupied by China, Vietnam and not Talwan, the statement claims, exercises true sovereignty over 'the Truong Sa Islands.

#### and EVENTS The headquarters of

announced that agreement has been reached with the Libyan government on holding an OAU summit in Tripoli this June or

O Saudi Arable has slashed its daily oil production from 8.5 to between 7 and 7.5 million

with the South African stressed in the brochure that 540 American companies and banks have branches in South Alrica

Mis Candhi put forward a character which included the following proposals: increased food production in developing countries and a reversal in the present decline in the flow of assistance from developed to developing countries and of protectionism in trade.

A message from United Nations Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar said the economic and social development of the developing countries should cease to be the byproduct of economic activity in the developed world.

The constant deterioration in the economic environment merely reinforces an urgent need for global negotiations to promote a more predictable and stable climate for development, Mr Perez de Cuellar sald.

The United Nations continues to provide the only acceptable and viable universal framework for (wither cooperation, among

### **Explosion in Teheran**

outside the capital's "Islamic revolutionary guards" garrison, killed II people, injured many others and severely wrecked nearby cars and buildings.

The charge was placed in a dust bin at the entrance to the

Over the past year dozens blosts and armed assaults in Teheran and other cities killed, according to official data, 1,200 state and religious figures, perliamentary deputies and regime

### The high price of Pentagon's aid

Now York. The enormous scale of dope smuggling into the USA has forced the US customs to cell on the Penta-gon's belo According to the "Newsweek" manazine, as result late less year the US coastguard obtained an E-25 naval blane carrying advance air warning and control de-vices. The use of this directly in the Carlibean for spotting private planes that trans-

successfult according to a coast-guard spokesman. The first oper-ration, led to the accest of 62 amugglers, 45 planes, 13 tonner of marijuent and hair a tonne of cocaine were resided. How ever, the customs spokesmen said that the plane will no lone ger be employed due to the exorbitant price charged by the





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Tripoli. Addressing here an international gathering repre-senting the countries of the Middle and Near East, Asia, Africa and Latin America the leader of the Libyan revolution M. Gaddall urged these countries to unite worldwide progressive forces in resisting the dangerous manoeuvies of im-perialism, ziopism, racism and reactionary forces. He sharply contribed the aggressive policy of American imperialism and its allies who have mounted a broad offensive against the

forces of peace and progress. (Continued on page 2)

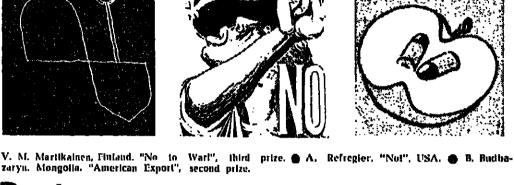
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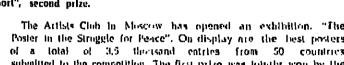


With the Lucas Garcia regime in Gualemaia being responsible With the Lucas Garcia regime in Gualemala being responsible for the murder of 250 to 300 people each month, the light goes on in the country for hallonal liberation and against the domination or foreign, mostly American, monopolies, The Front for Nettonal Patriolic Unity, recently set up, in Gualemala, is a new political and reelstance organization untiling all democratic forces in the country. The first declaration to have been put out by the front states that a popular war is the only way of activing the country's liberty and independence.

In the photo: fighters of Gualemala's patriolic forces.

Photo: Itom the "Der Spiegel magazine, West Garminy.





global economy since the Cancun summit. "Unchecked, this disturbing trend could have disastrous consequences for mankind," she

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and the poorer countries of the Mrs Gandhi told the threeday conference that the third world was deeply concerned at the visible deterioration in the

General Secretariat of the Organization of African Unity has

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O The Pentagon reports that Dalanse Socretary C. Weinberger and new Israell Ambassador to Weinberder Sacority matters of muhal Interest in the Middle East at well as lasting bilateral relations between America and israel, which the report steesed, word light (reaffirmed the American administrations deformination to maintain such the toletown and to maintain such toletows and to cooperate closely with birmel on a broad range of these.

### Round the Soviet Union

THE ESTONIAN CAPITAL TALLINN IS THE VENUE FOR THE ALL-UNION FESTIVAL OF ARTS. WHICH IS DEDICATED TO THE GOTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE FORMATION OF THE USSR TO BE CELEBRATED THIS YEAR. Loading companies and soloists from many regions are perform-ing together with their Estonian

A MEMORIAL TO YURI GAGARIN WILL BE PLACED IN THE CENTRE OF GAGARIN FORMERLY GZHATSKI, 200 KILOMETRES WEST OF MOS-COW, Ozhatsk is the native city of the world's first man in space. A sculptural composition dedicated to space designers and scientists, and a "Man and Space" Museum Is to be opened in the central square. A portion of the old area built mostly of one-storey buildings, Including the house in which the cosmonaur's family used to

live will be preserved. A NEW MEANS OF TRANSPORT DUBBED "AERIAL TROLLEYBUS" HAS BEEN IN VENTED BY SPECIALISTS FROM THE CITY OF UFA IN THE URALS. II will be based on cargo dirigibles driven by electric motors led by electricity fransmitted from ground cable from the lines. The designers are confident that in the near future this new means of transport will prove to be efficient in the ra-pidly developing, of hard access areas of Siberia.

## JARUZELSKI TO

VISIT THE USSR Early in March, this country is to be visited by a party and government delegation from the Polish People's Republic (PPR) headed by the First Secretary of the Central Committee of the Polish United Workers' Party, Chairman of the PPP's Council Chairman of the PPR's Council of Ministers Wojciech Jaruzel-

## the city.

ported narcotics was extremely

Pentagon for its aid

### PEACE FORUM IN FINLAND

Heisinki. The northern countrice can and must make a sizeable contribution to the peace irive, detente and disarmament. This is a cause of utmost iniportance for the entire world and would set an example for others to follow suit, states a resolution made during the congress of the Finnish Peace Advocates organization attended by some 500 delegates and delegations from many foreign countries, including the USSR,

and the World Peace Council. The central task of the peace advocates is to propel the northern countries lowards the implementation of the U. K. Kckkonen's proposals to declare the North a nuclear-free zone. The Soviet Union's support for this goal and its readiness as a nuclear power to act as a guarantor of a nuclear-free zone lbere, makes the idea more feasible, the document points

### PORTUGAL AS SEEN BY U.S. AND NATO STRATEGISTS

Lisbon. Portuguese territory may turn into a bridge between Europe and the Middle East within the framework of NATO and President Reagan's new political strategy, according to an article in the latest issue of the Lisbon "Express" weekly.

Touching upon the results of the recent visit to Portugal by US Secretary of State Alexander Haig, the weekly reports that, according to available data, the USA Intends to use the Lajes air base on Terceira island (in the Azores) as a transshipment point for US rapid deployment force in the event

of a military conflict in the Middle East.

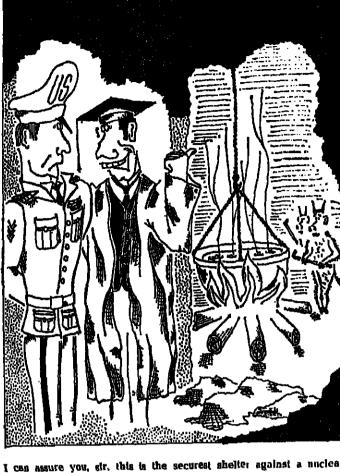
At the same time the air base at Be a (in the south of the country), which is now used for the training of military pilots from the FRG, also arouses the Pentagon's growing lust for bases, the weekly emphasizes, The USA has its eyes on the latter base as well, which is regarded by the Pentagon as the heat US potential strongpoint on the Iberian Peninsula and as one of the best placed bases in Europe in the event of military operations on the Eu-

### IRAN'S POSITION

Ankara, Iran wholeheartedly supports the just struggle of the Arab people of Palestine for their rights. It is also ready to with the freedom-loving Arab nations should Israel unleash armed conflict in the Middle East, said Iranian Foreign Minister A. Velayati in an interview with the Islanbulbased "Cumluriyet" newspaper. We reluse to have any rela-

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which is carrying out a policy of aggression and provocation against Iran, Volayati stressed. As for our neighbour the Soviet Union, the Iranian foreign minisler said, we have now established good-neighbourly relations with the latter country based on the principles of reciprocal and equal economic and political cooperation.



I can assure you, sir, this is the securest shelter against a nuclear atlack.

Drawing by Dmitry Varlamov

#### **OUOTATION: OF THE DAY**

"The task of the Soviet Union and of other East European countries, the task of the states of Western Europe and the USA is to ensure that no wars crupt in Europe. Talks and agreements are needed to guard against the endless arms race, against the ceaseless chain of threats and counterthreals, that endanger to get out of control."

Helmut Schmidt, PRG Federal Chancellor

#### **Pyotr SELIVANOV**

## THE LAW OF THE SEA AND AMERICAN MONOPOLIES

The 11th session of the Conference on the law of the sea, which is to open in early March this year, is to put the tion regulating nations' activities in the World Ocean and to submit it to over 150 states for slanature. The 3rd UN Conference on the law of the sea was held way back in 1973 and was ailended by over 150 nations. The -nos empidora to sedmun tesy fronting the Conference and the deep contradictions in this sphere dividing groups of states and individual nations hindered its work. Still the Conference moved slowly onwards towards its ultimate goal.

By 1980, a formal dealt convention approved by a clear majority of nations, the USA in-cluded, had been placed before the 9th seision of the Conference. To all intents and purposes only two outstanding issues remained: the status and functions of a preparatory commission to set up an international:
Seabed Authority and participation in the convention
and in the above-mentioned Authority by intergovernmental

EEC. During the debate the American delegation tabled a motion on yet another issue: the protection of advance investment n preparations for extracting resources from the seabed.

It was decided that the next 10th session would consider outstanding problems in 1981 and give official status to the draft. The signing of the conven-tion was to have taken place in Caracas, Venezuela, in the summer of that year.

But at the March 1981 10th session in New York the American delegation announced that the new US administration considered the draft unacceptable and was starting a "review" of the American position on the Conference in general.

What was it in the draft that aroused such a negative reaction from the Reagan administra-

Statements by American representatives indicate that the United States is resentful of a clause which gives the Interna-tional Seabed Authority's effective control over the activities

velopment of the resourthe World Ocean floor. ent of the resources of

The US administration was also against the creation of an international Enterprise to extract, process and sell seabed re-sources. The clause on this enterprise is central to a compromise on an international regime governing the resources of the World Ocean, It advances the interests of the developing countries, enabling them to act as a group in the

development of such resources.
This is the gist of the so-called "parallel exploitation system" under which the development of these resources can be un-detaken both by individual na-tions and the international Seabed Authority via its "En-

The technological expertise and the massive costs of setting up this new industry are only possessed at present by the industrialized nations. Only they have what it takes to develop super-sophisticated tech-nologies; for seabed mining at depths of 5,000 to 6,000 metres. Free access to seabed resources

would bring exclusive benefit to the latter states. This is why the developing countries have been pressing for the creation of the international Enterprise as an element of an international regime which would guarantee their right as well as their potential (technical, linancial, etc.) for developing seabed

Apart from this, the US ad-ministration dislikes the decisionmaking procedure worked out for the Seabed Authority. It is indeed unique, denying to any one group of countries the possibi-lity of dictating their will to other nations on any matter whatsoever. The Reagan admi-nistration, having selected distat-and ultimatums as the chief American line on all inferna-tional problems, is demanding exclusive rights in the Seabed

The USA, therefore, issued an goes along with American demands and alters the draft on the international regime or the USA voice against the whole convention, in other words, what is good for American monopolles has to be good for the whole of mankind. Such an approach to the solution of World. Ocean problems was reafficined by Prosident Reagen for Invition by President Reagan on Japuary 29, 1982.

29, 1982. The goal of American i int perialism is to grab the enormous seabed resources to the American monopolies at whatever cost. At this point comes not amiss to remember that in 1970 the UN General Assembly proclaimed the re-sources: of the international sanbad area to be "the common heritage of mankind".

## PUWP CC and Soym

Warsaw. The Politbureau the Polish United Worker Party Central Committee his announced that the 7th Cental minitiee plenary meeting will be held on Pebruary 24-25 his year. Assession of the Police Seym scheduled for Pebruay 26-27 will discuss several hills relating to the introduction of economic reforms, PAP reports

meet in session

#### Appeal by Muammar Gaddali

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Caddaff also called for th mobilization of the progression notions in their drive to rebu possible aggression agains Libya, Nicaragua, Cuba, Angola Syria, Lebanon and other ind pendent peoples threatened by imperialism, racism and rea

#### GREENLAND VOTES ON EEC

Copenhagen. The people of Greenland are to vote in a R forendum over FEC member ship. The decision to this effet was taken at the conference the rolling Social Democrals Party Siumuit in October 1988. and in March 1981, this ded sion was endorsed by Green land's parllament.

The world's largest slat. with its 50 thousand populate became part of the Commo Market following a referende in Denmark in 1972, in which more than 70 per cent of the population voted against Ell membership. However, Green land did join the Community part of Denniark, since at the time the island was not und self-rule which it is enjoying present.

#### FACTS and EVENTS

⊙ Licuionani • W. Nutting, head of the B Southern Command, told new men at the liopange air bit outside the capital of El Sine dor, that the Pantagon ready to send pilots to junta's aid. They would American helicoplars now ing widely used in El Salvade

 The American and Brillian intelligence services had vanced knowledge of the free tempted coup d'est in the strengtes, F. A. René, Preside of the Republic of the Seycht less table a page conference p of the Republic of me solves, told a press conference in Stresbourg. He seld that an investigation at present in the gress would throw light of a part played by Western light or the light of the light

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### THE WORLD

#### FACT8 and EVENTS

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⊙ China is large-scale military preparations In Tibet. Apart from the con-struction of airfields and radar installations. China is building a rocket base in the area of Lhasa, which might cover many towns in India and South-East Asia, reports the 'Herald', a nowspaper reports the "National reflecting the views of the indian government.

The Egyptian foreign min-ister said that President Hosni Mubarak is planning to pay his lirst visit to Israel next month.

#### PEOPLE

Buffalo B. Wilde, a British stuntman, has difficulty in finding a formale assistant for his stunt The intended helper is to stand against a wooden wall, while knives are thrown within severa millimetres off her. His slightest mistake would be tragic. Despite numerous advertisements in the papers there are no replies even though a handsome renumera-tion is offered.

a u a The general procurator's office in Mexico has taken legal action against Suleiman Chag-nona, President of the World Professional Boxing Council, for the illegal possession of valuable archaeological items. Over 5,000 such items, many of them real masterpieces, were found in Chagnona's home, and some were bound for overseas desti-

#### VAN DER BERG'S GANG CAUGHT

Madrid. An international gang who smuggled art objects has been caught by the Spanish police in Barcelona. The gang, had by a René Alphonse Van der Borg, known to interpol as Enc the Belgian, stole from various inuseums, cathedrals and chuhches, in the space of two years, artifacts estimated by antique declers at 1,000 million pesetas, the Spanish "El Pais"

### THAT LUCRATIVE BUSINESS: ARSON

New York. Peter Limongello, an American pop singer who was quite famous till recently, was celebrating his 35th birthday amidst his family, when the Police arrived on the scene. The rent, accused of multiple char-Res of swindling, conspiracy, monetary frauds and arson.

The fact is that after retiring from his carear as a singer in 1979. Limongello decided to ona saenizud nwo sid qu ise established a construction firm in Clearwater, Plotida, However, the only thing that interested him was to get as much profit as he could with the least possible outlays. The results being that the houses built by the firm had serious defects endangering the lives of the tenants. Soon the inhabitants started thing complaints demanding the removal of these faults, but this only meant reduced profits for Limongello. His solution then was to burn down the low qua-

lity houses.
According to the investiga-

### UNDER THE CODE NAME

TRIDENT

Classified documents, Including the entire correspondence be tween the former US ambassador o Iran, the State Department and the CIA, which was also made available to the American Emplayed at an exhibition in London, mounted by Iranian representatives on the occasion of the third anniversary of the shah's ouster, fucluded in the display, are dozens of take American pasports supplied to CIA agents, both Americans and foreign subjects, including Greeks. These materials were captured by Itaplan students at the American Embassy in Teberan.

The documents divolge the close collaboration of CIA agents in Athens with Turkish special services and the Israeli Mossad intelligence service. This "triangle", which also included the shah's SAVAK, was codenamed Trident.

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scientists calculated that it we

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ducts, then the ocean level will rise by almost five and a half

metres in the next 50 to 200

years. As a result the sea will

flood many maritime areas

throughout the continents. The

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The latest aviation exhibition in Paris featured a two-engine

plane called "Vector 600" which

weight only 200 kg.
It can be carried on the roof

of a car, preferably along wide

roads, as its wings span is nearly ten matres. The plane can cover 80 kilometres an hour

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#### Science and technology

#### DOLPHINS WATCHED FROM SPACE

USA. The police in the

town of Livermore, Calif.,

dispersed a massive anti-

war demonstration out-

side the Lawrence Liver-

more Laboratory that de-

nuclear weapons, 159 ar-

Photo AP-TASS

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resta were made.

Scientists from Tokat University, dapan, have designed a pro-gramme to study the his of dolphius from satellites. The programme envisages the catching of dolphins, affaching radio smitters to them, and then releasing them. Signals from the transmitters will be received by satellite. The aim of this research project is to determine the routes of dolphin migration. Preliminary experiments are autumn and the programme will start in carnest on February

#### FUTURE DANGER FOR MARITIME AREAS

Scientists' suggestion concerning the so-called bothouse ef-fect (the accumulation of the carbone dioxide in the atmosphere) causing a rise in the Parth's atmosphere temperature, found yet apother proof.

tion materials, hired arsonists

destroyed 14 houses since the firm

started operating, which inflict-ed grave injuries to several peo-ple, investigator Michael Hun-ter seid that Limongello's case

served as another testimony to the troubling fact that arson was becoming the most rapidly expanding crime in the USA. According to "The Christian

Science Monitor", about 40 per cent of the 3,500,000 fires that

happen every year in the USA are caused by owners of enterprises ceased to be productive. They prefer to burn it down and

claim insurance, which is usual-

ly much higher than the cost of the building. This happens es-pecially often in slums, where the landlerds regard arson as an

offective means of liquidating unprofitable real estates, yield-

ing a premium for themselves. The number of arson cases in the USA increased 4.5-fold in

the last five years. Every year

they claim thousands of human

lives and some 10,000 receive

grave injuries.

According to "Science" maga-zine, due to the thawing of the WILL ZAMBIA ice in the planet's polar ice caps, the level of the World Ocean is now rising 10 times as SUCCEED

### IN SAVING HER

### EMERALDS? Lusaka. As a result of

emorald smuggling Zambia suf-fers annual losses running into ten per cent of the state budget. Along with South Africa, Zimbabwe and some Latin Amorto omeraid mines.

The Zambian government has worked out a programme designed to put an end to the large-scale plundering of its us-lional resources. It has been an-nounced here that a few days ago 541 foreigners ware ar-rested on suspicion of struggiing gems out of the country, and that enother 300 people were earlier taken into cus-tody. Their case is now under investigation. The programme is to be put in charge of the corporation for the development of mineral resources, set up in 1980/ This government agoncy, which is repidly expanding its operations will have a mono-poly over the extraction and sales of all Zambian mineral resources, including emeralds.

#### 'ZERO OPTION': TWO VERSIONS

According to the Soviet NEW TIMES weekly, the Moscow and Washington proposals for a "zero option" are, alas, not blentical. The "Brezhnev pion" made public for the first time during the Soviet Premier's Bonn visit in November last year envisages ruiding Europe of nuclear weapons both medium-range and tactical. Thus a nuclear-tree Europe was envisaged, both in the West and in the East. The weekly points our tha should the West not yet be ready for such a radical solution, the Soviet Union will agree to a major stage-by-stage reduction by both sides of medium-range nuclear weapons of more than two-thirds, while maintaining purity in all stages of the reduc-

FROM the SOVIET PRESS

Seeking to Tacilitate an understanding in Geneva, it is pointed out in the article, the USSR proposed that a Joint document on the basic parameters of the future agreement be worked out as an urgent priority.

#### MILITARY BUILD-UP IN WESTERN EUROPE CONTINUES?

This is the question poscil by Vludimir Mikhailov in his commentary in PRAVDA on the talks in progress between the USA and the FRG on making available to the Bundeswehr American missiles of a new type capable of carrying nuclear charges. The point of issue is an agreement according to which the West German army is to be supplied with 80 Pershing-1b missiles. At present the Bundeswehr possesses Pershing-la misslies with a flying range of 750 km. The nuclear witheads to these missiles are under US control. The new Pershing-1b missiles are known to have a higher accuracy, with a flying range ulmost reaching that of medium-range missiles, i.e., of 1,000 km and more.

How that it has been learnt that an agreement is in the ofling, there is, naturally, apprehension that the new American missiles for the West German army are not just a modification, but represent a transition to a qualitatively new stage in the Bundeswehr's misstle equipment.

#### PEACE IS A VITAL PRIORITY

Today we live under an increasing threat to pence on earth. said Jose Tengarrinha, Chairman of the Partiquese Demogratic Movement, in an interview with the SOVIETSKAYA ROS-SIYA newspaper. The aggravation in international tension is a cause of great concern and it can only be overcome by following a policy of peaceful coexistence.

The intmost efforts should be exerted to put the Helsinki Final Act into operation, the Chairman of the Portuguese Democratic Movement stated. The Molifel meeting between the states which are party to the Helsinki Conference must become a significant landmark in the road towards interna-

We stand for the independence of peoples and support all movements for liberation from the colonial yoke. We associate ourselves with those nations. Highling against racist domination. Millions of people in the world still live in conditions of poverty and Illiteracy. The money now being spent on ments should go instead to assist developing countries.

#### **OUTER SPACE SHOULD REMAIN PEACEFUL**

The most important lask facing the international community is to prevent outer space being turned into a source of milftary danger. The proposal put forward by the Soviet Union at the United Nations towards the banning of all arms from outer space pursues precisely this noble aim, according to recent article published in the Soviet Journal WORLD ECON-OMY AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS,

The article emphasizes that American ruling circles are bent on turning space into another sphere of the arms race. Seeking military superiority over the USSR, Washington, in recent years, and particularly after the Reagan administration came into power, has been paying increasing attention to the development and manufacture of fundamentally new types and systems of weapons and to exploring new areas for their potential use. The interest shown by American stategists in the potential los expanding the military uses of outer space has increased by leaps and bounds. They hope that a locknological breakthrough this time in the military use of space will place the United States ahead of the Soviet Union and ensure US military supremacy, putting the America in a superior position both in outer space and on earth.

The USA, it appears, is not above proclaiming vast regions of the earth and also part of outer space as lying within the sphere of its vital interests and assuming the role of self-styled "space gendarms", the journal emphasized.

#### OF INTEREST

this lielps them swim laster. WHO'S NEXTI

A world record of sorts has been set up by Pierre Orliz, a barber from the American town of Hunington Beach. For 350 hours, excluding the rest pe-tlods allowed by contest rules, he cut the half and shaved the heads of countless victims. He only paused in his activities when there was no answer to is question "Who's next?"; American swimmers are now loking that this 20th-century Pitgaro may be invited to join the natronal swimming team which.



has many swimmers lavouring zero haircuts as they believe

The chimes of the clock on the Church of St. Maria in Wisnes [GDR] are again to be heard in the town. The clock which stopped working in 1945 has been restored by specialists trong Leipzig. Photo by ADN-TASS



A lecture in progress.

The otimen in Udmurtia have

I since the beginning of 1981.

extracted 10,000,000 tonnes of

This new oil region of the

Western Urals is rapidly deve-

loping. The oil fields and large complexes for oil accumulation

nd purification use the most

dvanced processes and equip-

ment. Over 9,000,000 tonnes of

bil are to be produced this

year, the largest figure yet



School students Vladimir Dambalyan and Anatoly Taov in the assembly shop of the AZLK car works.

For more than sixty years now, students have been attending classes at the N. M. Shvernik Trade Union Movement High School run by Soviet trade unions in Moscow. The school, a major educational, scientific and methodological trade union centre, has 12,000 students. Apart from providing higher education in economics and book-keeping and training trade union personnel for sanatoriums and lourist organizations, it equips its students with an extensive knowledge of many aspects of trade union work. The following are among the subjects included on the curriculum: the history of the international working and trade union movement, the organization of trade unions, trade union activity on the shop floor, etc.

In order to qualify for admittance to the school, a student has to have a complete secondary education and at least two-years' experience of work in trade union organizations. Students at the school therefore are of all ages and professions. They have to be sponsored by the trade union organizations for which they worked full-time or as activists. Many of the students here combine work and study either at part-time departments or at the refresher institute.

As knowledge is best reinforced by practical work, the school keeps in close touch with many industrial enterprises in Moscow.

gest port.

#### Round the Soviet Union

THE FIRST BATCH OF GRANULATED SUPERPHOSPHA. TE ENRICHED BY PHOSPHORUS VANADIUM AND MANGANESE HAS BEEN PUT OUT AT THE SUPERPHOSPHATE FACTORY IN AZERBAIJAN Tests have shown that such composite fertilizers raise cotton harvest considerably—by 150 to 200 kilogrammes per hectare.

THE SHIKAOKH PRESER. VE IN THE ZANGEZUR AREA OF ARMENIA HAS BEEN STOCKED WITH RARE "RED DATA BOOK" ANIMALS, IN-CLUDING WILD CATS, which were brought here from other republic's conservation areas. The Armenian fauna has recently been considerably enriched, mainly with animals placed under state protection. Such species include mouffions, Caucasian grouse, mountain turkey, and flamingo. Many new species ar-rived at the local forests from throughout the Russian Federa-tion, the Baltic republics, and the Far East.

SUBTROPICAL GROWING HAS BEEN SET UP IN THE PAMIRS The high-mountain state farm named after lulius Fucik has prepared a plateau to be used for a commercial mon plantation. This is the first of its kind in the Gorno-Badakhshan Autonomous Region. The planting stock has been sup-plied by the Pomír Biological

#### Lithuanian architects

#### at work in Siberia

Several hundred oilmen working at the Tyumen oil and gas fields in Western Siberia have moved into new apartments dealgned by Lithuanian architects and put up in the Kogolym sel lement by hullders from the

To date three apartment housos have gone up with 75 flats cach. They are assembled out of special panels made to withstand the severe weather conditions of the North. Another seven of these "Lithuanian" buildings will be erected there before the end of 1983.

#### Prospects for developing Far Eastern ports Udmurtia's

Soviet economists have drawn up a programme for the deveent of the seaports in the Soviet Far East, covering the period between 1981 and 1985. The programme was necessitated by the last pace of economic development in Siberia and the Far East and by the growth of

ioreign trade, An eight to nine per cent increase in the country's marine shipping is envisaged by the year 1985. The programme's principal aim is to provide adequate port facilities for expan-ding home, incoming and outbuilding up the ports' terminal capacities. It is planned to build a complex to handle vegetables, fruit and other perishable fondstuffs, at the Viadivostok post.

container handling. There are plans to overhaul two wharfs (previously used for coal) to handle export-import cargoes in Nakhodka. Today coal-carrying ships call at the newly built port of Vostochny. When new terminals are added to the available complexes ca-pable of handling more than

mainland, and other ports will One berth is to be adapted to

As for passenger traffic, it is planned to open new local lines to be serviced by modern liners. Work will start on a new paysenger terminal in Nakhodka in-tended to handle passengers using the Nakhodka-Yokohama and Nakhodka-Yokohama-Hong

eight million tonnes of coal, wood chips, containers and other

cargoes a year, Vostochny will

become the Soviet Union's big-

Work will continue on the

second stage of the ferry link-ing the Sakhalin Island with the

#### HOME NEWS

#### Places to visit



Ivan Fyodorov was the first Russian printer,

Moscow, was the first dated book in Russia. "The

Watchman", the basic text-book in Russia in the

16th and early 17th centuries, followed the year

after. In 1573 Fyodorov settled down in Lvov,

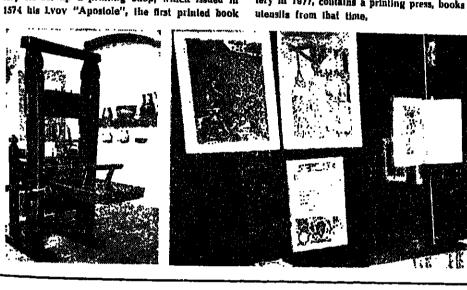
# FIRST PRINTER'S MUSEUM

the museum en-Irance; exhibits

in the Ukraine, "for the picasure of the Russian and his work the "Apostole", 1564, published in people" as Fyodorov put it.

Fyodorov died in 1583, and was buried in the

The Ivan Fyodorov memorial museum, a branch Western Ukraine. In a cell at the Onutry monas- of the Lyov art gallery established at the monastery he set up a printing shop, which issued in tery in 1977, contains a printing press, books and ulenglis from that time.



#### Young forests in Caucasian Mountains

Massive afforestation projects are under way on the slopes of the Main Caucasian Ridge, involving oak, beech, pine and other valuable species. The multipurposed forest ri-thes have been given much consideration, said Sh. Chalaga-nidze, the forestry minister for the Georgian republic. Our for-est expert. est expert» are annually planting saplings on 6,000-7,000 hecares. They have taken well on mountain slopes offering

protection against land erosion, mudslides, and providing the

area for recreation and health

in a world made of geomet-

ocur to the characters of a

how television series on which

shooting has begun in Novosi-brisk. Fifteen short films under

the common tille "Geometry for Young Children" will explain the fundamentals of this branch of mathematics to child-

ten attending their first year at

Young speciators are introduc-

ed into the world of knowledge by their cheerful and curtous

beer, played by a schoolgirl, Na-tasha Kurchenko, who is helped in her task by the actors and teachers

Science for

children

gave way to archaeologists. The depth and shape of the walls suggested that we were dealing with the ruins of an old Russian church, said L. Jaanits,

### 14th-CENTURY RUSSIAN MARKET-PLACE IN TARTU

A 14th-century Russian quarter has been discovered by archaeologists in the Estonian town of Tartu.

Last year the go-shead was given to expand the Tartu Botanical Cardens, giving more space for the crowded paim trees and other tropical plants. The work first started in the greenhouses. Suddenly the excavator struck stones lying deep below the surface. It was soon proved that they were remnants of an ancient wall and the builders

tion at the institute of History of the Estonian Academy of Sciences. For a long time we have been searching for this since a "Russian quarter" was mentioned several times in connection with the town magistrate's documents dealing with

land property, but its exact location could not be found. Now archaeologists are able to gain an idea of how the old quarter looked when it served as the Russian trading centre. However it is necessary to find another old Russian church, which is nearby but hidden deeply underground, before a definite picture can be drawn,

#### Science and technology

#### KEEPING THE EARTH WARM

Even under the severest frosts it is now possible to conduct earth works in Siberia. In order to project the soil from freezing, the scientists from the likuisk Institute of Rare and Non-Ferrons Molals suggested covering the surface with water-and-air

A special installution is able to cover 70 thousand square inetres of earth with feam over a short period of time. The foam covering proved to be particu-

#### THE RICHES OF THE FAR EAST

Subterranean deposits of Jade have been discovered by Far Eastern prospectors from data provided by achaeologists. Dur-ing the archaeologists digs they repeatedly discovered Jewellery.

An expedition has already began prospecting for semiprestous stones over a vast ferritory between the Gult of Peter the Great and Cape Deshney, but in Kamchatka they found the first signs of Jude, Another success followed when in the mountains d the Chukcht Peninsula, they discovered a deposit of Jadeilo, This mineral, which is as valu able as emeralds, is extracted only in Burma.

They have also discovered umerous signs of jasper, agole, thodonite, amber and other preclous and semiprecious stones. This expedition therefore proved that similar to the Urals the Soviet Far East is also rich in

#### OLD MASTERS'

#### TECHNIQUES REVIVED

In the Kiev Pechora Lavra, the art of enameling has been revived. Many souvenirs dedicaled to the city's 1,500th anniversary are designed after fine examples amassed by numerous Lavra museums.

The modern-day artists have employed the processes that are centuries old: they cut away a cell-like pattern on the metal's surface, then enamel powder is applied and fused. This method is especially durable, so much so that buckles and pendents produced in the 4th century have come down to us in perfect con-

It is more complicated to make cloisonné enamel which arrived in Kiev in the 11th century from Byzantium. Its designs are made from thin metal strips that are fixed to the metal base. Through this technique the an-cient Russian masters were able to display their ingenuous skill. They succeeded in mastering the Byzantine processes and achieving higher quality and durability with lesser labour involved.

## A political novel is how Al

The novel is concerned with wo major avents on the international acene separated by an inlerval of thirty years - the Potsdant conference of 1945 between enders of the oteal powers the USSR, the USA and Great Britain who were aliles in an anti-nazi cosillion-and the com paratively recent Helsinki Conference of 1975, Why does Chakovsky link these two events logether? Because, both of them represent victories for common sense, a sensible compristie be tween states with different so

ulad, concentration in any one direction should be avoided. A broad range and variety are the natural attributes of Soviet Heralds which is written in 77 languages and kick as the synthesis of vasily differing tradi-

#### FROM the SOVIET PRESS

#### SOVIET SCIENCE IN 1981-85

In the current five-year plan period (1981-85) Soviet science will concentrate its efforts on electric power engineering, chemistry, space exploration, mathematics and physics, says Anatoly Alexandrov, President of the Soviet Academy of Sciences, in an interview with the TRUD newspaper. More attention will also be paid to computerizing research, to applying biological methods to production processes and to making and using microand minicomputers.

With regard to the energy problem, Alexandrov believes that atomic power industry is capable of supplying mankind with energy for hundreds of years to e. If the development of fast neutron reactors is made a priority then the luci problem will, to all intents and purposes, have been solved. Several such reactors have been in uso in the USSR for a number of years now and a big 600-thousand-kilowatt reactor went into operation last year.

Work progresses on the use of clomic energy for heating homes and providing heat for industry. Other applications are also studied. As before, solar energy and the energy of thermal waters will be utilized. However, well into the 21st century, coal, gos and nuclear lucis will temain the predominant energy fucis, with all the afternative sources accounting for only a small portion of the overall energy production.

There have been no new developments, Alexandray sald, in the investigation of extraterrestrial intelligence. And it is unlikely that there will be any in the future, though It would be wrong to abandon all hope in this

#### MORE ORIGINALITY IN MODERN ACTING

Critic Irina Vishnevskaya writes in LITERATYR-NAYA GAZETA expressing her views on the direction that plays by young playwrights should take. Many new names have emerged among the authors of Soviet plays. This presents evidence in itself that there is an tresistible desire to write plays, especially since increasing number of drama studios, seminars, laboratories and courses is being established, the critic states.

Generally speaking, plays written by young people often reveal well-polished professional skills, though they are lacking in novelty and revolutionary discoveries. They make wide use of techniques once suggesied by the older generation of playwrights, namely Arbuzov, Rozov, Volodin, and Vampilov. While such techniques may have once had their charm, too are too well known to audiences to convey new times.

#### THE IMPORTANCE OF LIFE

In our daily activities and cares we tend sometimes to lorget what people live for, what makes up the beauty of their souls, writes Yurl Bondarev in an article for SOVIETSKAYA ROSSIYA. It is not that difficult to become corrupted and to destroy the human essense. Not even a well-provided life with its cars, TV sets, releigerators, vacuum cleaners, and transistor radios will make us happy, if we chase the material at the expense of losing kindness, conscience, shame, dignity and decency.

In order to remain human and not merely a robot, which buys products and digasis lood, we must keep the main characteristics which make people human love for one another, for one's children and parents, for nature, a scrious attitude lowards one's profession,

and respect for the aged. We should not be overly proud of our knowledge, many of us are not completely cultured human beings; we don't all read books every night thereby increasing our knowledge and learning of the world. We have right to be excessively proud of being diligent readers. Hours spent in front of the TV steal time from our lives. A person who forsukes books, lives in darkness, even if they are considered educated people. The book has always played an enlightening

The human being should have an individual ailliude lowards his work, continues the writer, undertake the necessary duties, periorm social and lamily functions, and carry out the responsibilities of a citizen. The need for labour is the most creative, the most vital and the greatest human social desire. A human being without labour is like a uscless weed, senselessly clinging to the tree of life.

#### FUEL AND ENERGY PROGRAMME FOR THIS COUNTRY

This country's energy programme, writes the magazine TEKHNIKA -MOLODYOZHI, envisages a priority development of the fuel and energy complex and related engineering industrics. The power industry will be improved in that coal, nuclear and hydroelectric stations will become the main energy producers.

Nuclear stations will be built of around 1 and 1.5 million kW thermal neutron units and a shift towards bigger last neutron units will soon be taking place. Heat supply for communal and industrial applications will also be based on nuclear plants.

Work will continue on designing new types of furba-generators based on superconductivity, and inexhausibenergy sources, such as the sun, the wind and the earth's heat will be increasingly exploited.

A major step in the creation of the Unified Power Grid for the entire USSR is the future construction of unique long-distance 1,150 kV lines AC and 1,500 kV

MN INFORMATION NO

The "Geometry for Young Children" feam is led by L. Siko-ruk. Earlier his team created a series of TV films, "Physics for Young Children", which received high acclaim from taschars acciaim from teachers. MH INFORMATION: No. 16, 1982

#### The five parachulists pictured made a daring jump into the Soviet's Par East. The crater it-

This presented a dangerous enture due to the rocky jags of the crater, and the air currents, vortexes and tornados created. by jets of gas.

Avacha live volcano crater. on

the Kamchatka Peninsula, the

self is 200 metres deep, while the

This jump was aimed at both scientific and sports goals. Pirstly, the parachutists tested the possibility of dropping instruments and equipment to the crater's depth. Secondly, It be came evident that in emergency conditions the jumpers could, render help to scientists working inside a crater.

Pindly, taking into accoun all the difficulties, this jump was a demanding sports achievement

Deputy Editor-in-Chief

SOVIET

VIEWPOINT

of the "Druzhba Narodov" magazine, gives his views on new rends in Soviet literature over the past year.

1981 saw the publication of books exploring highly import-ant lacets of contemporary contemporary reality — social, moral and Vardges Petrosyan's novel "The Lonely Nul-Tree" and "The Youngest of the Brothers", a long story by Grigory Baklanov 1981 also brought important new historical and political novels. Among the worthy of mention are Mikhail Andreyev's "First-Fighters", Alim Keshokov's "The Sabre for the Entlr" and "The Dam" Vitaly Syomin. Taking their subject-matter, the ober Revolution, the first ive-year plans and War II these are thoughtful studies of the lessons to be learnt from the recont or less recent past, Outstanding among the passionate appeals for peace and detente which characterize he latter, is Alexander Chakov-

sky's "Victory". Some works deserve to be onsidered in greater detail. The nd of 1981 saw the publication of "Berry Places", a first nove y the well-known poet Yevge-Yevtushenko, and of the second part of "The Book of the Blockade" by Ales Adamovich and Daniil Granin; while Alexander Chakovsky completed

work on his novel, "Victory" "Berry Places" represents the poet's attempt to meditate on the life of society, to compare various stages in history, and to extract lessons from them. Yet agree with Soviet author Valentin Rasputin who wrote his foreword to the novel: would call 'Berry Places' propaganda novel in the best sense of the word. This is propaganda almed to bring out the best in man and in society s

"The Book of the Blockade" b Ales Ademovich and Daniil Granin is a documentary novel. t provides stunning evidence o the terrible days of the blockade of Leningrad by Hitlerlies dur-ing World War II. This is a book about the great spiritual qualities and power displayed Leningraders at this time think such works are par-icularly timely today when the hreat of war hangs over us

xander Chakovsky describes his

cial systems.
Finally, 1981 wilnessed the continuation of frends which have been soted sarlies. To my

#### Soviet exhibitions in the FRG

Tens of thousands of West Germans have visited the exhibilion, "Russian Jewollery", in Cologne, a major industrial and cultural centre in the Ruhr. The exhibition featured 18th-19thcentury artifacts from the Moscow Kremin Armoury, and the Hermitage in Loningrad. The exhibition has caused many positive responses from West German newspapers. "Frankfurter Allgemeine" notes the high degree of perfection characteristic of the art of the Russian masters and the elegance of the gold, silver, and diamond

Art entirenesis in West Cermany are also given the opportaraty to see two other Soviet exhibitions. Honover is the yenur for the exhibition. "The Russian Painting of the Early 19 h Century", while Trier plays host to an exhibition of the Soviet painter I. Obrosov.

## February tours

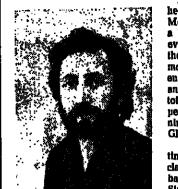
Soviet performers are at present on tour in many countries. Conductor Yovgeny Svetlanov has left for Britain. He will conduct the London Symphony Or-clestre in several performances of rousic by Tchaikovsky, Brahms and Eigar.

femild Kogan has given suc-censul solo concerts in Madrid, Barcelona and other citles. Thousands of Prench music lov-ers have attended concerts by plantst Yevgeny Malinin, while Hungarian audiences gave a warm reception to cellulat Damill

Meantime many Soviet companies and artists are preparing for forthcoming tours abroad: twenty countries overall are to be visited before the end of the month. The Italmas song and dance ensemble from Udmurtis is to give concerts in Finland, while the Moscow Chamber Mosical Theatre, led by Boris Pokrovsky, will perform in the FRG and Luxemburg.

Later on in February numerous foreign companies are due in the Soviet Union. This will be their first visit to this country for the Antologia de Zarzuela company from Spain. The Stockholm University Choir will sing Rossini, Bartók, Shchedrin and works by Swedish composers. We shall also hear concerts by famous companies and soloists from Yugoslavia, Canada, the GD3. Cuba and other countries.

## Leningrad ballet back in Moscow



I attempt to bring ballet closer to ritual, says Boris Eliman, 35, head of the Leningrad ballet troupe, which performed recently in Moscow's State Concert Hall. I believe that in the past ritual was a ballet with complex symbols. It lacked random inovoment, and everything followed some defiulte sense and the inner feelings of the participants. I am striving for actors to relieve on stage various moments of conflict in their lives, therefore convincing the audiences of the utter truth and sincerity found in the world of ideas ences of the utter than and shifter at the Leningrad Conservatore, His first works were the ballets "The Firebird" and "Gayano" performed at the Kirov and Maly opera and ballel theatres in Le-ningrad. He also mounted several productions in Poland and the

His ballet company was started only four years ago, during which time he has staged 11 plays, including Jazz and rock as well as classical works. He also undertook a one-act ballet, "The Idlot" based on Fyodor Dosloyevsky's novel and using Pyoir Tchaikovsky's

Choreographer Borls Eifman.

...The play contains nothing superflous or tactiess with regard to Dostoyevsky. This production proved that ballet and great literary works have tremendous prospects for creative fusion, argued the poet Yevgeny Yevtushenko, in "Sovietskaya Kultura"

Recently the troupe presented a new programme in Moscow. The first part included four short ballets set to pieces by Vivaldi, Beethoven, Albinoni and by a contemporary Leningrad com-poser. Shuitke, tilled "The Autographs". Each plece formed a blend of tense dramatic collision. revealing an ingenious artistic approach, and ex-pressive movement. Eliman and his colleagues use the language of dance to ponder on elernal problems such as the relations between man and woman and the trials of the artist's complex and at times track search for true att. and man's tormenting knowledge of life.



Troupe soloists V. Caldikas and S. Pokin in "The Aulographs".



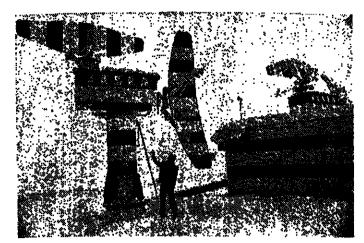
"The Mad Day". V. Ganibalova as Suzanne and V. Mikhailovsky as count Almeviva.

The second part featured a ballet-buffo based on Beaumarchais' comedy, "The Mad Day", set to Rossial's music, a vibrant, eccentric and colourful speciacle gripping the audiences by its sheer action, satirical characterization, and a very unique manner of dancing.

Tatyana ANDRIASOVA

Photos by Gennady Vonsovsky

#### BUSINESS



With the inauguration of six new air services, Riga, the capital of Soviet Latvia, is now linked to 104 towns in the USSR, Air traffic controllers at Riga airport use equipment manufactured by Tesla, a Czechoslovak electronics company.

#### THE DRIVE FOR INCREASING TRADE

in expanding and strengthening contacts with CMEA membercountries, particularly with the Soviet Union. Both sides should continue to work for mutually beneficial exchanges of goods, services and technology, as well as establishing better cooperation in production, research and development. This forms an important task for Danish business at the present time, is the opi-nion of the head of the department for cooperation with soclaist countries of the Pederation of Danish Industries, Kurt Precht, which he reported to an

APN correspondent. The federation says that Soviet orders create jobs and improve cost efficiency in such areas as electronics, analytical Instruments, and transport and agricultural machinery. Sales to the USSR have alleviated tha difficulties of the Danish farm-

#### BUILT WITH SOVIET ASSISTANCE

A government commission has accepted for the operation the spinning factory in Ulan Bator. This enterprise, which is to be the most important for Mongolian light industry, has been built with Soviet technical and economic assistance. Annually it will produce three and a ball tonnes

of yarn for the manufacture of carpets, knitwear, blankets and other woolen items. The factory provided with equipment supplied by the USSR, the GDR and Poland will increase the output of these goods by more than twice in Mongolia.

ers who met with serious fin-

encial problems in the past few years. Denmark imports a wide range of Soviet fuels, metals and

minerals. Various types of So-

viet equipment, means of trans-

portation and consumer goods have fully established them-

K. Precht stressed that he-

tween 1976 and 1980 the two

countries' sales increased three-

fold as against the previous five-

year period. There is an en-

couraging outlook for export-im-

port operations, he said. On the basis of the existing between

the two countries agreements,

the Soviet-Danish joint commis-

sion regularly discusses various

aspects of economic, scientific

and technological cooperation.

Days of science and technology.

various symposiums, exhibitions

and other joint functions have

become a regular feature of the

Denmark-USSR cooperation pro-

selves on the Danish market.

### \_ EXHIBITIONS \_

Vladimir Mayakovsky Museum (3/6 Proyezd Serova). "Maya-kovsky and Russian Popular Prints", an exhibition featuring posters drawn by the poet as well as popular cheap prints of the 18th, 19th and early 20th centuries. Daily, except Wednesday, from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. On Monday and Thursday, noon

to 8 p.m. Metro Dzerzhinskaya. Exhibition Hall. RSFSR Artists Union (46b Gorky St). Over 50 works by Moscow painter Nikolat Maximov (1892-1979) are on display. Daily, except Monday, 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. On Saturday and Sunday, noon to 5 p.m. Metro Mayakovskaya.

### \_\_\_SPORTS\_

ICE HOCKEY

Palace of Sport. Lenin Central Stadium, 23 -- Central Army Club v Riga Dynamo. 24 — Moscow Dynamo v Torpedo. 25 - Central Army Club v Leningrad Army Club. 26 - Moscow Dynamo v Krylya Sovietov, All days at 6.45 p.m.

TENNIS Druzhba Sports Gym. Lenin Central Stadium. 23-26 — An in-ternational tournament. On 23rd-25th, at 10 a.m., on 26th, at

The Druziba Gym is an ail-purpose building for boxing, wrestling, games, fencing, and rhythmic exercise contests. At the present the besting the besting the besting the besting the contest of the besting the best of the be time it is hosting a femule contest in which players contest in which players from ten countres are taking

Olimpiisky Sporis Complex (Metro Prospekt Mira), 23-26 — Open Moscow championship. Ali days at 4 p.m.

This tournament is being held for the 60th time. Taking part are Viadimir Anto-shin, Yuri Balashov, David Bronshlein, Yevgeny Vasyu-Grandmasters.

RACING

Hippodrome (22 Begovaya St). 24 and 26 - Racing and trotting. Both days at 6 p.m.

WEATHER

February 23-26

In Moscow, city and region lair to cloudy, mostly dry and morning mists. Wind NW, changing to SW. Temperatures will gradually rise between .-- 9° and --4°C at night and beday,

#### ORDERS THAT **GUARANTEE WORK** FOR 150,000 FINNS

In the 15 years that the Standing Intergovernmental Sovjet-Finnish Commission on Economic Cooperation has been in grown over 11-fold. Soviet orders provide jobs for 150,000 Pinnish workers and work for many plants. For instance, over half of Finland's total exports of ships goes to the USSR. The Soviet Union, for its part, helped Fin-land build two nuclear power plants and a steel combine which now accounts for around 60 per cent of the cast iron and steel produced in the country.

#### Contacts and contracts

At a recent meeting, the CMEA Standing Engineering Cooperation Commission took initial steps on the joint development and organization in the current live-year period of specialized joint production of high performance precision metalworking and casting equipment and of other goods.

#### BELARUS IN SIERRA LEONE

Early in the morning we set out by car from Freetown to the state-run Newton Farm. At the tarm, forty kilometres from the capital of Sierra Leone, was a display of Soviet general-pur-pose intertill tractors of the Belatus-till type.

This robust, serviceable and easy to operate tractor has adapted itself well to many African countries. Offering a wide range of gears and the capability of working with all types of implements, it fully meets presentday requirements. It contains a driving pulley for threshing rice. This is an essential feature for the many rice-producing farms

in Sierra Leone. In the presence of representa-tives of the Ministry of Agricul-ture and Forestry of Sicria Leone and the well-known Freetown firm, Gallery Motors, that specializes in the sale and ser-vicing of Soviet Lada and Niva cars and MAZ trucks, I watched the drivers of two Belarus-611 tractors demonstrate their capabi-

Compared with loreign models, Soviet tractors are easier to operate claims the firm's chief mechanic-engineer Mr George. Talking to an APN correspondent, the Gallery Motors manager, A. I. Javad, stressed excellent performance shown by Soviet tractors and expressed his hopes for future demands. The tractors also made a (avourable impression on L Limon, chief engineer of the Ministry of Agri-culture and Forestry. Soviet tractors have good

future in Sterra Leone. Freetown.

### All-terrain ploughs

The nine-frame multipurpose The nine-frame multipurpose tractor ploughs, the first batch of which was shipped to Bulgaria, Hungary and the FRG by the Odessa farming machine-building works, help facilitate field ploughing in various solutions. Specialisis from those countries collaborated in developing pe, Specialists from 10099 countries collaborated in developing the plough which is coupled to the powerful Soviet K-701 frac-

tor.

The new plough works at twice the speed of the conventional models, is less sensitive to the terrain and its operated suite matically from within the cabin.

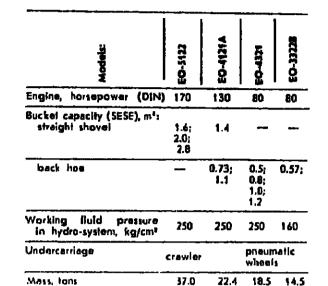
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#### Intourist news

## A TRIP TO BULGARIA

The winners of the competition "Bulgaria invites" have been

Its sponsors were the Central Council for Tourism and Excursions, the Main Department for Foreign Travel at the USSR Board, the State Committee for Tourism of the Bulgarian Peo-ple's Republic, and the Bulgarian Airlines Balkan. The competition entrants had

Council of Ministers, the Soviet-

Bulgarian Friendship Society, the magazine "Turist" Editorial

to answer various questions concerning the past and present of the fraternal country. Answers were received from 189 towns and villages of the Soviet Union.

Eight people were awarded the first prize—a tourist trip to Bulgaria, including a Muscovite electrician Yu. Fyodorov.



### Philately:

### In honour of a world-famous

artist

The USSR Ministry of Communications recent postage states spenmentorates the 150th anniversary of the French are 151 Edguard Maner The samp carries the artist's self-portrait and costs 32 kopeks.

#### The exhibition of Ecuadoran folk art introduces one into an enchanting and fanciful world. opened at the All-Russia Museum of Decorative, Applied and Polk Art in Moscow.

The Items include wedding and carnival attire, everyday clothing, headwear, and especial-



clothing, headwear, and especially the renowned sombrero. They are all glorious in their magnificant colour and imagination. The 550 tiems are representative of folk art in Latin American countries situated on both sides of the equator.

The Ambresedor of Especial to the USSR Juan Carles Faiduiti fistrada stressed at the preview of the axhibition the importance of cultural sphacts for better mutual updiscutanting among peoples



Solovykh has opened at the Soviet cultural centre in Nicosia, the capital of Cyprus. They depict history of Moscow's Books. The Narodna Kultura

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**SOMBRERO FROM ECUADOR** 

FACTS

and EVENTS

Guest performances. The So-

viet pianist Mikhail Platnyov,

formed a solo concert in Frank-

furi am Main leaturing pieces from Beetheven, Bach, Chopin, Tchalkovsky, Prokoflev and was greatly acclaimed by the local press. "Frankfurter Rundschau"

praised his accomplished tech-

now on tour of the FRG, per

36 paintings by the Soviet artists Valentine and Gennady

Publishers in Sofia have re-leased the first volume of a new edition of selected works by Ivan Turgeney. The six-volume edition is comprised of the writer's best novels, stories and short stories. More than half of the titles issued by the publishers are books by Russian and

the "Russian planist school".

# WHAT'S ON!

France.

VOZNESENSKY: NEW

BOOK OF POEMS

Andrei Voznesensky's

book of verses, "The Sale

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red poems written by the

author over the past two a three years. The book was h

sued in 100,000 copies by its Sovietsky Pisatel Publishers at

includes verses about love

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culture of other peoples at countries. This is borne out h

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composers turned increases

to Voznesensky's poetry.

rock opera "Yunona and Ave

by composer Alexel Rybat

always plays to full house !

cently Mikael Tarlverdiev of

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pleted a cycle of songs.

PICASSO'S CERAMICS

This small display is how in Minsk, in the State Art !!

seum of Byelorussia. It feats

works by Pablo Picasso-co

mic vessels, murals and si

panels created, by the sti-during his work in the gri-town of Vallauris, souli-

The collection was presen

to the Byelorussian miseum the French artist Nadia Legel

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of Mexican cities.

February 23-26 Nomirovich-Danchenko Maso

#### \_THEATRES\_\_

Theatre performance), 25 – 9 rayev, "Mery Gascon", 25 ... Strauss, "Die Fledermaus", Kremlin Palace of Congresses (Kremlin). Bolshoi Theaire per-Chamber Musical Thesire (Leningradsky Prospekt). 26 — Double-bill: Wellinger formances: 23 (eve) — Rossini, "The Barber of Seville" (opera). 24 — Verdi, "Alda" (opera). 26 — Prokoflev, "The Stone Plow-er" (ballet). Patal Sins"; Offenbach, Open

Bolshoi Theaire (Sverdiov Sq). 23 (mat) - Bizet, "Carmen" (opera); 23 (eve) - Prokofiev. "Romeo and Juliet" (ballet), 24 — Dargomyzhsky, "The Stone Guest" (opera). 25 — Prokofiev, "The Gambler" (opera). 26 — Double-bill: Barlok, "The Wooden Prince"; "Divertissement"

(ballets). Sianislavsky and Nemirovich-Danchenko Musical Theatre (17 Pushkinskaya St). 24 — Tchaikovsky, "The Snow Maiden" (ballet). 25 — Double-bill: Schubert, "Evening Dances"; Khachaturian, "Gayane-Suite" (ballets). 26 — Tchaikovsky, "Bugene Onegin" (opera). Operalia Theatra (6 Pushkin-skaya Si), 23 — Grokhovsky, "Quadrille", 24 — Suppé, "Don-na Juanita" (Sianislavsky and

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The Truth of Light, Kills The Truth of Light (Leniffm Studios, USSR).

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